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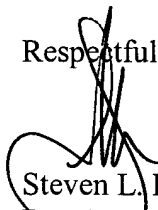
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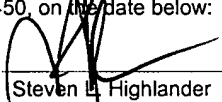
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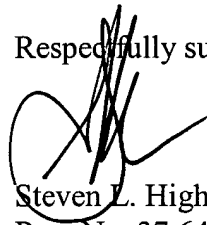
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	A3	4,671,953	6/09/87	Stanley and Haque	424	440	5/01/85
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	C1	<i>Pharmaceutical Dosage Forms: Tablets</i> , vol. 1, Second Ed., Lieberman <i>et al.</i> , (eds.), 1989.

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